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The organ of the Grand Orient of Portugal, in The organ of the Grand Oriont of Fortugat, in tits July number, contains the most interesting intelligence, that in consequence of the commandatory sentence repeatedly expressed against the Freemasons by the Vatican, a lodge in Sicily thas been induced to publish the fact that, some decennies since they had received into their fellowship Brother John Mastai Fercitic, the present form Picker Bill Name Attached to the document is a Pope Pio None. Attached to the document is a portrait of the apostate brother in full regalia. A SPITZBERGEN "COLD SNAP."

Says a writer: "No description can give an adequate idea of the intense rigor of the six TREATY BETWEEN QUEEN VICTORIA months' winter in Spitzbergen. Stones crack with the noise of thunder; in a crowded hut the

hunt. Had it been his Excellency President Mac-Mahob himself, I would have been all the better pleased, siways providing that he had escaped without serious injury. But until some accident of the kind happens to some well-known public functionary the coachmen of Paris will never learn that the possessors of lives and limbs have any right to cross the streets without endangering both. On they drive, fast and furtously, and shricking 'Gare'' they will charge right down upon any foot-passenger that happens to come in their way. There seems to be no law against fast-driving in the streets of Paris, and the policemen never think of such a thing as siding any one to cross the street—on the contrary, they will look with bland smiles on the futile efforts of any unfortnante person who attempts to cross the street—on the contrary, they will look with bland smiles on the futile efforts of any unfortnante person who attempts to cross the street—on the contrary, they will look with bland smiles on the futile efforts of any unfortnante person who attempts to cross the street—on the contrary, they will look with bland smiles on the futile efforts of any unfortnante person who attempts to cross the street in the usual way of talk, and the boy' went off smiling as a five understood my meaning; but as be did not come back I made some inquiries of my friends in the house. They asked me wint I said to the 'op,' and I repeated the words as nearly as I could recollect them, to the effect that I wanted some breakfast and would like it immediately. I was then told that I might as well have talked Greek to him, and that I ought to know as nearly as I could recollect them, to the effect that I wanted some breakfast and would like it immediately. I was then told that I might as well have talked Greek to him, and that I ought to know said and the told the provision of her private capital. The provided is a provided of the order of the order of the order of the present of the received to have a some force of the present of the present of Mahon himself, I would have been all the better pleased, always providing that he had escaped

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shall exclude or be deemed contrary to any mense crowd at the Hotel Drunot the other day. The jam was perfectly terrific, and, as usual, the greater number of the persons present had no intention of buying, but were brought thither by mere curiesity. The magnificent necklace, which contained twenty-seven large diamonds of the purest water, was the first article soid. It was not disposed of in one lot, but was divided into fourteen, which produced the sum of 150,000 france. The earrings, which were composed of two superb solitaires, with pendants each formed of a single pear-thaped diamond, were sold for their Royal and Imperial Highnesses. The earrings, which were composed of two superb solitaires, with pendants each formed of a single pear-thaped diamond, were sold for their Royal and Imperial Highnesses. The earlings, which were composed of two superb solitaires, with pendants each formed of a single pear-thaped diamond, were sold for their Royal and Imperial Highnesses. The earlings, which were composed of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ire-15,000 france, while a single large reotangular diamond brought 50,000 france. The most beautiful of all the ordinancts is yet to be sold. It is a brooch formed of a large sapphire set in diamond, so the persons while a single large reotangular diamond were sold for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ire-15,000 france, while a single large reotangular diamond were sold for the care of the Windom of Great Britain and Ire-15,000 france, while a single large reotangular diamond brought 50,000 france. The most beautiful of all the ordinancts is yet to be sold. It is a brooch formed of a large sapphire set in diamonds of the persons who shall compose her persons that legitimate business might need. There are other important features in that bill; but those I have referred to seem to be the principal to the usage and etiquate of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ire-15,000 france. The most beautiful of the usage and etiquate of the United Kingdom of Great Br

A correspondent, writing from Rome under date of March 18, says: quired to wear black robes, with trains, and a long black well, falling back over the hair, no gloves, jewels if one pleases-go in full toilette, in eled through ere the ante-room is reached, mind and body are fatigued before the exciting month of the amount of animal and vegetable food he drawn and the Pope enters. To-day His Holiness was followed by some twenty Cardinals and other than the room of the was followed by some twenty Cardinals and other average lifetime. attendants, all in purple restments, red stockings, &c. As soon as he came into the gorgeous room, every one fell on their knees and remained on them, as the Pope waiked slowly around, helding

BEER DRINKING IN ENGLAND.

In returning to England, says a writer upon the subject of beer, it should be mentioned that Diodor, of Sicily, ascribed a love of drinking to keys, 263 pigeons, 140 pounds of salmon, 120 the spot where he had been standing. We do its inhabitants, and a passage in Ossian seems to confirm it. But it is not certain what they drank. mostly hydromet (mead) up to the year 1049; but | wine. mostly hydromet (mead) up to the year 1049; but also beer, of which there were two descriptions, common ale and spiced ale, and the law fixed the price of the latter at twice the value of the former. Beer drinking remained a family custom in England, with high and low, up to the fourthe Engine, with high and low, up to the four-teenth century; but about the year 1307 beer had to become dearer, and its price, according to quality, was two, three or four pence a gallon. Accord-ingly, a regulation of the corporation of the city of London determined that a gallon of the best bases should only cost three half-neares and com-

the time of Henry VIII wines from Gascon; the time of Henry VIII wines from Gascony formed the chief beverage. Beer remained likewise in use, but the taste was for new beer very little hopped, and at the royal table no beer older than five days was allowed to be offered. There existed also some police inspections of breweries in the sixteenth century; the officers were called ale coroners. It is also recorded how the English brewed their beer. They made a kind of extract of malt which they called graut, which was very thick, and a kind of common hopped beer called ale, which was very intoxicating, according to a description of the well-known Dr. Cardanus, who drank of it in England, and mentions it in his drank of it in England, and mentions it in his book, "De Sanit Tuenda," iii:58, as mentioned by Grasse. Celebrated was the beer of Hertford, Grasse. Celebrated was the beer of Hertiord, called kamna, in the middle ages, the eld British koorow in the county of Derby, and especially the Yerkshire ale. There was also spiced beer, called braket, made of ale, pepper and honey, and much in favor with the common people. Another description was made of sugar, beer, spices and brand; this was called ale-berry.

THE ROYAL MARRIAGE.

AND THE EMPEROR OF RUSSIA.

species attire, thinking of that horrid shabby woman who brushed against her as she came into church."

FAST DRIVING IN PARIS.

this contract) as a property of Her Imperial Highness. It shall be deposited with the Department of Appanages, remain forever in Bussia, and shall bear interest at the rate of five a distinct, positive and individually distinguish. A correspondent writing from Paris says: "I per cent. per annum. The interest during the joint lives of His Royal Highness and Her Imperial Highness shall be paid half-yearly to much of producing from her own mines as making the day, though fortunately he was but little hurt. Had it been his Excellency President Machaning to the established usage in the imperial Highness, who shall have the separate and exclusive enjoyment of it according to the established usage in the imperial family; and she shall be at liberty to dispose of it by will in favor of her heirs agreeably to her cumulating of vast wealth. Then what is the

ought to have said, Catchey some chow-chow chop-chop.' Chow-chow is understood in this as something to eat, and the last double word as equivalent to 'quick-quick.' Had I been a comic acrow and the ordering my breakfast been a farce, it might have been possible to fee that I should be saying the right thing in this way. That not being my pigeon' I felt reluctant to do it; but when eating, drinking and all your wants are found to depend upon its use, you soon give in; and here is the source of growth in the language, and the renson why it advances and spreads in China."

GEMS OF PUREST RAY SERENE.

A Paris correspondent writes: "The sale of Mile. Daverger's diamonds drew together an immense crowd at the Hotel Drunot the other day. The jam was perfectly terrific, and, as usual, the greater number of the persons present had no

have separately incurred, without liberty to re-sort to the other of them, or to his or her

A GORMANDIZING CALCULATION. It is rather surprising that some Yankee with gloves, jewels if one pleases—go in null rostette, in fact, and the long drive to the palace, and the innumerable steps to be ascended when there, and immense halls and long corridors to be travant immense halls and long corridors to be travant in the area room is reached mind. a genius for calculation has not gone into an

the London Reform Club, and a great artist in his line, goes into this sort of calculation in There was a boy in the back of the shed; the the in the control of one of his books-the "Modern Housewife" man motioned to him with his head to go out. and obtains results startling, if not alarming, Then he tightened his hold on the lever. The resaries and lockets and images hung about them from an arithmetical point of view. To take a to receive this blessing. The Pope seemed in good health. The guards and servants, in their liveries of yellow, black and red, were numerous, his mythical personage, and surround him with but a breath of time; but it was enough. The his mythical personage, and surround him with the objects that in the course of his lifetime he car grated with a jar against the ground far

pounds of other fish, 30,000 oysters, 5,443 not know the man's name, and should scarcely pounds weight of vegetables, 243% pounds butter, 24,000 eggs, 4½ tons of bread, about jar somehow against the deed itself. there is one passage in St. Luke (ii:15)—"And has neither wine nor beer.) The inhabitants of Wales drank

ingly, a regulation of the corporation of the city of London determined that a gallon of the best beer should only cost three half-pence, and common beer one penny. In Hollinshed's time (about till its partially corroborated by a gential tistics, but it is partially corroborated by a gential tistic, but it is long voyage; how many of the women are gracious and finely natured; how many of the women are gracious and finely natured; how many of the voice its long voyage; how many of the women are gracious and finely natured; how many of the voice its long voyage; how many of the women are gracious and finely natured; how many of the voice its long voyage; how many of the women are gracious

THE CURRENCY BILL. WASHINGTON, April 8, 1874. Senate currency bill be

law, I predict that gold will go up to 35 or 40 within the next month. If the general features of Negley's bill could become a law, gold would go down to Sor 4 per cent. premium within the same time. Yet the Negley bill actually allows considerably more expansion or inflation in the actual in rease of money than the Senate bill. This is bold assertion, and, if true, should be examined to learn why the country may not have the benefit of such a vast difference. I will briefly mention some of the points of

difference. The extension of anything like "free banking," even although it may be confined to a few localities, leaves the whole financial plan in doubt as to results, and causes general feeling of consternation among sub-stantial business men. The words "unlimited banking" would be a more truthful term, the ATTIE.

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bonds" was adopted in the Negley bill, and United States 6's, 1881, coupon. the Secretary of the Treasury allowed to issue United States 5-20's, 1891, coupon. United States 5-20's, 1891, coupon. and subject to any such disposition, is shall so dealt with as hereinafter provided.

Art. 8. Her imperial Highness retains, moreover possession of her private capital. This capital, which, on the 23d (10th) day of Janucapital, which, on the 23d (10th) day of Janucapital, which, on the 23d (1874) amounted with

in the hands of a Scotch-Irishman, an ordinary of Misrch is, says:

This morning a party of thirty were presented to the Pope, and among them were five persons from New York city: Admiral and Mrs. Godon, Mr. and Mrs. King and Miss Virginia Brooks. Also a Miss Corbyn, of Brooklyn. The ceremony was quite imposing, and occupied several hours of precious time, for they had to be at the Vatican at half-past eleven, and the Pope did not receive them until after one o'clock. What with the preparation of dressing (for the ladice are required to wear black robes, with trains, and a property of them. The ceremony was deterned by Her Imperial Highness, and for which his Royal Highness, and for which His Royal Highness may by the law of England be held responsible or hable. end of the cable, broke, and fell crashing into the dark shaft, to be shattered into a thousand fragments.

He knew that in the next minute the cable, released from the strain, would fly back and werage lifetime.

M. Sayer, the culinary authority, the cook of dred feet. He had but one instant to face his loosened cable struck and caught somewhere below against the side of the shaft. Surely God will have to devour, may be truly described as below; its occupants stepped leisurely out, appalling.

wine.

This is, after all, only an outline, and Sayer assures his readers that, so far from experience and observation, made up a scale of food for the day, and for a period of sixty years it amounted to 33% tons weight of meat, farinaceous food, and vegetables. This statement can neither be deplet nor affirmed without coine into the statement are little long royage; how many of the worled for deplet nor affirmed without coine into the statement are little long royage; how many of the worled for the statement can neither be deplet nor affirmed without coine into the statement are little long royage; how many of the worled for the statement can neither be deplet nor affirmed without coine into the statement are little long royage; how many of the worled for the statement can neither be depleted for affirmed without coine into the statement can neither be depleted for a first later that the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for depleted for a first later than the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for depleted for a first later than the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for depleted for a first later than the long than the long than the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for the long that he is not surprised every new day by the knowledge of how admirable a crew has been put into the world for the long that he is not surprised every new day by the k

IN THE CLOUDS. The balloon Le Secours, which met with an accident during the ascension last Saturday from San Francisco, made a successful aso the week before. A San Francisco Morni Call reporter, who went up in company with others, writes: "As the balloon neared the eastern shore of the bay and was almost directly over Alameda wharf it had soared to its greatest height-two miles and a half. The Call representative about this time had a most singular ringing feeling in his ears, and was a little deaf. Absorbed in the giorious scenery he had ceased to care a jot about the barom-eter or its record, and the last point he remembers the needle creeping round to indicated 10,000 feet. Captain Barbier has since informed him that, taking into account the difference in measurement, the actual height to which the balloon climbed in the firms was 15,000 feet. The thermometer indicated a fall in the temperature to about 45 degrees, but none of the occupants of the basket ex-perienced cold, and did not even feel chilly. Possibly the liberal supply of champagne with which they were furnished had some influence in sustaining the animal heat. Neither was there any difficulty in breathing, but all of the party have well expanded chests, and beyond talking there was nothing to exercise the breathing organs. The writer had a decided on that a couple of miles up the voic sound very harsh and loud, but the imp was greatly weakened by what he heard aloft To him the sounds seemed very little altered The stillness, the death-like calm aloft, was painful, half depressing. Except when M. Barbier or his conferre, M. Buislay, creaked about in the basket, or spoke, or popped a champagne cork, not the faintest sound could be heard; but softly, as if from a far-off spot, came occasionally the weird, shrill pitch of a locomotive whistle. The balloon itself was notionless, soundless, to the party." CHARITY AND THE STAGE. If charity covers a multitude of sins, how

warmly clad should actors be, even in the eyes of Pharisees, says the Balimore Gazette. It is they who are ever readiest to alleviate suffering; it is they who in spite of most capricious nes give their talents when their purses are lean and hungry. Within a few weeks no less than sixty thousand dollars have been contributed by them to the coffers of charity; this, too, at a time when the stage is in a depressed condition, and many of its members are in ab solute need of bread and butter. "I am well aware," writes Mr. Wiswell, in acknowleding the check of \$5,000 for St. John's Guild, "I am well aware that the actor is too often misunder stood and misrepresented. But it affords me pleasure to state that, after an experience of many years in the charitable work of this great city, I have always found the members of the framatic profession ready to exhibit even more than their share of the practical religion that is prompt to minister to men's material needs. This winter there is no class who have done so much for the poor of New York as the members of a profession that only a false social o eligious theory would put under a ban.' THE MARKETS.

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1	BANK STOCKS-			
1	National Bank of Republic	135	105	
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١	Second National Bank	94	110	
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	Metropolitan stock	21	28	
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4	Nat. Theatre bonds, J. & J., 7 p. c.	*****	85	
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